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P R 010430Z MAY 78
FM AMEMBASSY BANGKOK
TO DEA HQS PRIORITY
INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 3878

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EO 11652: N/A
TAGS: SNAR
SUBJECT: PRACHUAB PHETGUN, ET AL, WA-78-0016, DA4-H1

REF: BANGKOK LOU 12165 (271040Z APR 78)

1. POLICE MASTER SARGEANT SONTHEYA VIVATHANAPHANIT (V)
APPARENTLY ESCAPED WHILE STILL HANDCUFFED FROM THE CRIME
SUPPRESSION DIVISION, 7TH SUB-DIVISION, THURSDAY EVENING
APRIL 27, 1978. THE INFORMATION PROVIDED THUS FAR WAS THAT
WHILE THE SARGENT WAS BEING INTERROGATED AND WHILE STILL
HANDCUFFED, HIS INTERROGATOR TURNED AROUND TO OBTAIN A FILE
AT WHICH TIME SONTHEYA TURNED AND SIMPLY RAN FROM THE BUILDING.
(THIS COULD CONCEIVABLY HAPPEN DUE TO THE PHYSICAL
CONFIGURATION OF THE 7TH SUB-DIVISION.)

2. ON FRIDAY APRIL 28, SARGEANT SONTHEYA TELEPHONED
POLICE COLONEL PRAYOON AMPHROMMAHA AND STATED THAT HE WOULD
SURRENDER HIMSELF SATURDAY EVENING, APRIL 19.

3. DEA WAS NOT NOTIFIED OF THE ABOVE CHAIN OF EVENTS AND
LEARNED OF THEM THROUGH THE NEWSPAPERS. ON MONDAY MAY 1,
THE BRO TELEPHONICALLY CONTACT THE 7TH SUB-DIVISION AND REQUESTED
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THE STATUS OF SARGEANT SONTHEYA. IT WAS LEARNED THAT THUS
FAR HE HAS NOT SURRENDERED HIMSELF. BRO PERSONNEL WILL
PROCEED TO THE CRIME SUPPRESSION DIVISION IN ORDER TO GATHER
FURTHER DETAILS.

DECONTROL UPON RECEIPT BY DEA.
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